

ACTION OF POLES DECRIED 50 KILLED IN MEXICAN RIOTS

SERIOUS FIGHTING OCCURS BETWEEN THE CATHOLICS AND REDS

(By Associated Press)
MEXICO CITY, May 13.—Fifty persons were killed and a score wounded last night in Mexico, capital of Mexico, says a report to the newspaper Excelsior, when police fought the unsolicited help from radicals, charged large groups of Catholics.

The latter were demonstrating against the alleged desecration of their churches last Sunday by radicals. The Catholic population of Mexico was much incensed Sunday when radicals entered several of the churches, breaking many images and smashed placed a red flag on a cathedral altar.

A demonstration of protest took place here yesterday, according to the Excelsior, but was broken up by the police aided by federal soldiers, when clashes with cheering radicals on the side lines threatened serious trouble.

DRAFT DODGER'S MOTHER BURIED BIG SUM IN GOLD

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 13.—Mrs. Emma C. Bergdoll, mother of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, draft dodger, told the house investigating committee today she buried the \$195,000 in gold obtained from the treasury in the fall of 1917. She refused information as to where she had buried it.

DISCUSS PLACE OF U. S. IN WORLD PEACE KEEPING

(By Associated Press)
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 13.—The place of the United States in a world organization for the maintenance of peace is the general topic to be discussed at the twenty-fifth annual meeting of the American Academy of Political and Social Science to be held in Philadelphia today and tomorrow. The topic has been divided into six phases, and include these subjects:

The record of accomplishment of the existing league of nations; the Monroe doctrine; effect of American participation in a world organization on the doctrine; the possibility of disarmament by international agreement; and the effect of the participation of the United States in a world organization upon her military and naval policy; the treatment of backward peoples in a world organization; the system of mandates and the obligations of mandatories; the existing league of nations; the function of international courts and means of enforcing their decisions; should such a court have a compulsory jurisdiction, and what powers, if any, should be given to the court to enforce its judgments; the essential of an effective world organization.

GRAIN FUTURE BILL PASSED BY HOUSE

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 13.—The Tinscher bill to regulate dealings in grain futures was today passed by the house and sent to the senate.

LABOR SHORTAGE IN THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS SERIOUS

(By Associated Press)
HONOLULU, T. H., May 13.—The great sugar, pineapple and coffee plantations of Hawaii are facing near extinction as a result of the most acute labor shortage in the territory's history. The rice-growing industry of the islands has been wiped out for the same reason and business of Hawaii is fast stepping into the grip of the Japanese, the dominating race in the territory, according to a statement to the Associated Press by Governor C. J. McCarthy and by Albert Horner, territorial sugar expert.

JOHN F. DIETZ IS GIVEN PARDON

(By Associated Press)
MADISON, Wis., May 13.—A complete pardon was granted today by John F. Dietz by Governor Blaine, restoring his freedom to the widely known "defender of Cameron Dam," who was convicted of killing Oscar Harp, deputy sheriff, on October 8, 1910.

FARMERS WILL BE ALLOWED TO TRADE IN GRAIN

(By Associated Press)
RIGA, May 13.—A decree issued by the soviet government to put into effect the decision of the last soviet congress permits trade in surplus foodstuffs under certain restrictions, says a report here from Moscow.

It provides that 144,000,000 bushels of the 210,000,000 bushels of grain necessary for the feeding of the towns and cities shall be taken from the farmers by levy; the remainder to be purchased from them by giving them in exchange machinery, cloth, iron and other articles.

Freedom of trade is to be permitted only in districts which have paid their taxes.

It will be necessary, it is said, to obtain the machinery for the farmers from abroad, but the other commodities could be produced at home except for the breakdown of production due to the lack of fuel and raw materials.

For the present the only produce for exchange with the peasants is salt and oil. Here again, it is pointed out, there is a difficulty in the matter of transportation, although both salt and oil themselves are abundant.

All control and restrictions affecting the transport of supplies are abolished. Punishment is provided, however, for selling grain without saving seed.

The decree is regarded by the newspaper Pravda as a sorrowful necessity. The government, it says, was compelled to issue the order to induce the peasants to labor on their land. The Russian farmer had threatened to leave much of their holdings uncultivated so there would be nothing to confiscate.

MUST SEEK WAY TO RAISE MONEY TO PAY DEFICIT

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 13.—Unless a way is found to increase revenues and reduce the expenses the railway deficit "will have to be met from the national treasury," Chairman Cummins, of the senate interstate commerce committee, declared at the hearings today on the general railway situation.

GEN. PERSHING GETS POST AS CHIEF OF STAFF

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 13.—The selection of General Pershing to be chief-of-staff of the army was announced today by Secretary Weeks.

General Pershing will assume his new duties July 1 succeeding Major General March. His assistant will be Major General Harbord, who was Pershing's principal staff assistant in France before he assumed command of the service of supply.

MEXICO CANNOT SIGN PROTOCOL, SAYS OBREGON

(By Associated Press)
MEXICO CITY, May 13.—Mexico cannot and will not sign a formal protocol as a condition to recognition by the United States, President Obregon told newspaper men last night in referring to President Harding's policy as outlined in dispatches received here Thursday.

HANNAPAH CAMP COMING TO LIFE

Outlying mining districts, many prominent as producers years ago, are at present attracting attention of mining men, and a season of activity is almost assured. Hannapah is proving no exception to the rule and within a short time it is quite likely that at least half a dozen properties will be receiving well merited attention.

From an indirect source it is learned that before the summer season has advanced very far development will be undertaken on the Hannapah or Newhouse holdings, which were good producers of high grade ore during the early history of the camp.

The Silver Glance will soon be receiving attention, according to reports, as will also the Nevada Central, which lies close to promising claims known as the Silver Trumpet and Running Elk, the latter two at present receiving some attention.

Hannapah was one of the early camps of southern Nevada and lies about 18 miles east of Tonopah.

OPEN PARK FOR YOUNG GIRLS ONLY

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, May 13.—What is described as an "Adamless Eden" is about to be opened here in the form of a small park where London working girls may rest and meditate undisturbed by young men.

The plan originated with the Metropolitan Public Gardens association which is seeking to obtain for the purpose four acres of waste land near Hyde Park.

MOUNTAIN WARFARE ON IN COAL REGIONS

(By Associated Press)
WILLIAMSON, W. Va., May 13.—Mountain warfare which raged all yesterday and intermittently through last night over a seven-mile front in the West Virginia and Kentucky coal region, was resumed with vigor this morning.

Reports sent to state police headquarters here said heavy firing was taking place in the mountains of Kentucky and at Murrice, West Virginia, where yesterday's shooting started. Three have been killed and two wounded so far.

(By Associated Press)
PIKEVILLE, Ky., May 13.—Four persons have been killed and one wounded in the fighting along the Kentucky-West Virginia border during the last 24 hours, according to reports received here today.

GARDNER MAKES HIS GETAWAY

(By Associated Press)
NAPA, Cal., May 13.—Roy Gardner, the convicted mail robber, has apparently slipped through the posse which had surrounded him yesterday in Gordon Canyon, near here. Sheriff Harris said today, "A few farmers, however, will continue the search."

TONOPAH BOY IS APPOINTED

George Fee, nephew of J. R. Van Harlingen, has just been notified that he has passed the entrance examination for admission to the United States naval academy at Annapolis. Fee received his appointment to Annapolis through Senator Pittman, took the examination in San Francisco April 20, 1921, and will enter the academy in June. He has been a student of Tonopah high school for several years and is very bright in all his studies. Tonopah has the distinction of having four Annapolis appointments, all of whom have brought honor to themselves and to the state of Nevada.

MEXICAN CENTENARY CELEBRATION PLANNED

(By Associated Press)
MEXICO CITY, May 13.—Mexico will celebrate the centenary of its independence next September and elaborate plans are being made for the event. President Obregon has announced that a special invitation will be extended King Alfonso of Spain to be present and, although a general welcome will be extended, the countries which have recognized Mexico will be accorded special honors.

THE WEATHER

Local Observer United States	
Weather Bureau:	
Temperatures	S. A. M. N. 10 P.
Current	56 71 6
Wet bulb	46 54 6
Relative humidity	55 25 6
Maximum yesterday	75 65 6
Minimum yesterday	36 41 6
Maximum yesterday	74 62 6
Minimum yesterday	37 40 6

FORMER PASTOR GETS SIX YEARS FOR ROBBERY

(By Associated Press)
EAST ST. LOUIS, May 13.—Guy Kyle, former Free Methodist minister, and Loren Williamson, of Mount Vernon, Illinois, were sentenced to six years in the federal prison at Leavenworth in the federal court here today on a charge of robbing a mail pouch containing \$189,000 at Mount Vernon last January.

BRIDEGROOM OF 3 DAYS SHOOTS SELF IN HEART

(By Associated Press)
LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 13.—Robert Thor Brown, a bridegroom of three days, was found dead today in a locked room in a hotel here, with a revolver by his side and a wound through the heart. He was found by his bride upon her return from a visit with friends. She broke into the room. The cause of suicide is unknown, but failure to receive money is suspected.

GERMANY NOW DETERMINED TO PAY HER DEBTS

(By Associated Press)
BERLIN, May 13.—Determination to carry out its engagements regarding reparations was expressed by Chancellor Wirth speaking at a meeting of the imperial council. He expressed the hope that the allies would be equitable in reaching a decision relative to Silesia.

RENO SORORITY GIVEN CHARTER

The I. O. A. O. local sorority of the University of Nevada has been granted a charter in the national society of the Gamma Phi Beta. Installation of the chapter, which will be known as the Alpha Gamma, will occur at Reno on May 14, and Tonopah will be duly represented by the presence of at least one young lady, and possibly more.

The Tonopah members of the sorority are Georgie Money, now a brilliant honor pupil at the university and president of the sorority; Miss Letitia Sauls and Miss Verda Luce, both freshmen. The alumnae members of Tonopah are Miss Liela Sloan, now teaching in Virginia City, a member of Phi Kappa Phi national honor society; Miss Jennie Howson, the popular little lady at the postoffice; and Miss Carmen Rockstead, bookkeeper at the Mine Workers' Mercantile office. Miss Rockstead was a very popular member, holding several offices, including that of class representative. This office had never previously been held by a woman. Miss Rockstead left yesterday morning for Reno to be present at the installation of the sorority into Gamma Phi Beta.

PRIMARY GRADES ENJOY A PICNIC

Today the first primary grades with their teachers Misses Averill and Lamb, are taking advantage of the beautiful weather to have a picnic in the grove near the Victor mine. The little people brought their lunches with them and they are enjoying themselves to the utmost.

LLOYD GEORGE TELLS HOUSE POLES HAVE VIOLATED TREATY

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, May 13.—Lloyd George, in a dramatic speech today in the house of commons concerning Upper Silesia and Imbroglio, said the action of the Polish insurrectionists was in complete defiance with the treaty of Versailles.

"I think it is right that I should speak out plainly," Lloyd George declared, "because if those things can happen and we take no notice of them and do not deal with them with that stern justice which has characterized the attitude of this country in all its dealings abroad, it is going to be fatal to the peace of Europe. If that is disturbed, I do not see what is going to happen to Europe. I am alarmed. I am frightened that unless some confidence is restored to the world, the consequences may be of a most terrible character, because the whole industrial world is so built upon credit and confidence that once it is shaken I do not see how it can be rebuilt."

Premier Lloyd George declared the treaty of Versailles chartered Polish freedom and that she should be the last country of Europe which had a right to complain about the treaty.

EXTRADITION IS WAIVED BY MRS. PAUL SOUTHARD

(By Associated Press)
HONOLULU, T. H., May 13.—Although Mrs. Paul Vincent Southard, wife of a navy chief petty officer, who was arrested yesterday in connection with the deaths in Idaho and Montana of four former husbands, a brother-in-law and child of one of the men she had married, expressed her willingness last night to return to the United States without legal process, arrangements for her early extradition are being made by the insular authorities.

HILL DECLINES JAPANESE POST

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 13.—Dr. David Bayne Hill, of New York, is understood to have definitely declined to be ambassador to Japan, but is said to be foremost among those being considered for ambassador to Germany when diplomatic relations are resumed.

H. S. EQUIPPED WITH COMPLETE ALARM SYSTEM

Acting on the orders of the board of school trustees, R. F. Robb, the electrician, has completed the installation of a complete fire alarm system in the high school building. Gongs are placed in each of the hallways—gongs with a ring that cannot be mistaken for the ordinary bells used for passing classes. The breaking of a glass in the alarm boxes, conveniently placed in each hall, turns on the alarm. For fire drill purposes a button in the superintendent's office may be used instead of the hallway alarms.

Automatic emergency exit locks have been ordered for the front doors and as soon as they arrive the building will have the necessary complete equipment for alarm drills.

SINN FEINERS MURDER A WOMAN

(By Associated Press)
BELFAST, Ireland, May 13.—Kitty McCarron, killed by masked men, who attached a card to her body inscribed "spies" and informers beware, tried, convicted and executed by the Irish republican army, was the sole support of her aged parents and a mentally defective brother. The police say they know of no reason for killing her.

TODAY, FRIDAY 13TH, IS A HOODOO DAY

Fridy the thirteenth is no hoodoo to residents of Tonopah. Nothing occurred to mar the serenity of the occasion and the day has so far passed without any indication that the hoodoo is hovering around this locality.

BUTLER THEATRE
TODAY
Night Shows 7:30 and 9:00
AN ALL-FUN PROGRAM
'LOVE, HONOR & BEHAVE'
5-Real Comedy Special by
MACK SENNETT
With the famous Second cast
of players
—AND—
A 5-Real Comedy
"OH, BABY"
—TOMORROW—
VIOLA DANA in
"PUPPETS OF FATE"
—AND—
LARRY SEMON in
"THE RENT COLLECTION"
—MONDAY—
DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS
WHAT IS PARISSON?